

Mar 6, 1859

Dred Scott Case

U. S. Supreme Court under Chief Justice Roger B. Taney (Mar 17, 1772 - Oct 12, 1864) ruled that a Negro (Dred Scott (1795? - 1858)) was not a U. S. citizen and had no standing in Court; inflamed North-South slavery debate.

1859

Steam operated Foghorn
invented 1859 by Canadian
engineer Robert Foulis
(1796-1866)

1859

Darwin published "The Origin
of the Species".

Feb. 14, 1859

(33)

Oregon admitted
96, 781 sq mi
Salem

Apr 24, 1859

Ground was broken for
the Suez Canal.

1859

Charles Darwin published
"The Origin of Species by Means
of Natural Selection"

1859

1912 Dates J-BK

Hark

Early in 1859 the Republic of S was
restored by the mulatto GEF RARD
who retained control until 1867.

Sept. 17, 1859

Joshua A. Norton declared himself
to be NORTON I, Emperor of the
United States 17th Sept 1859

San Francisco Adopted Emperor Norton I
as their own.

He reigned(?) 21 years
In 1862 he issued a proclamation
that abolished the Presidency and
Vice Presidency of the United States

A local printer printed the Emperor's private currency, which was accepted in bars and restaurants throughout the City of San Francisco.

Died in 1880

He was born 1819

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1859-1933

Alcatraz (The Rock)
Rocky island in San Francisco
Bay used by U.S. military
prison

1859

Tale of Two Cities
novel by English novelist
Charles Dickens